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### AMENDMENTS

#### Amendment - 1 (Specification)

Delete from the specification the title; "DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING" paragraphs "[0008] and [0009]" (the said requested delete title and text is located after; "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING"). The said complete text to be deleted being; "[0008] In FIG. 1, the support member 1 supports"..., ... therein the differential only allowing inversely proportional rotation".

Replace the deleted text with the enclosed title and complete text of; "DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION". The said replacement text being; "This invention pertains to a new vehicle differential. The new ..., ...traction of an over accelerated drive wheel is preventable".

#### Amendment - 2 (Drawing)

The "Drawing" is amended; having the term; "Replacement Sheet" in it's header. The "Drawing" also being amended by adding missing hatching lines, invisibility lines, and numeration and/or renumbering of all the elements of the said drawing.

The "Drawing" is amended also by the inclusion of support stock; protruding from axial sides of the differential case (8). This amendment is a matter of differential case support within the housing (25 [shown fragmented]). The said support stock obviously does not affect disclosure. The invention would work as disclosed, with or without the said support stock, but of course the axle durability would be at risk; as the axles (5, 10) would have to be the support members for the said differential case (8).

Furthermore; it is against the patent rules / laws to purposely leave out full disclosure; for the intent and purpose of further / future improvements of the same said invention.

#### Amendment-3 (claims)

Cancel all of record; claims 1 - 8.

Add claims 9 and 10(new).